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UNIT: WH/4/PA-PROP 1700
EXT: 4935
DATE: 30 JUN 1961

CLASSIFIED MESSAGE

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ROUTING 03-17

TO: JMWAVE
FROM: DIRECTOR
CONF: BELL 10
INFO: WH 5, S/C 2

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SIS GEN
DEFERRED

X ROUTINE

OUT 72660
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TO: WAVE INFO
JMWAVE

CITE DIR 48869

REF: WAVE 6820 (IN 3485)*

COMMENCING SHORTLY AFTER GUTIERREZ MENOYA WAS DETAINED IN JAN 61 BY
GEORGE KUBARK AND APPROPRIATE OVERSEAS AGENCIES WERE CONTINUALLY REQUESTED BY
AMBIANG-ONE, AMBUD-ONE AND PRIO ^{SOCARPAS} ~~SECRET~~ TO OBTAIN RELEASE OF GUTIERREZ. NO
ACTION WAS TAKEN ON THESE REQUESTS EXCEPT THAT IN LATE APR HQS INFORMED
GEORGE THAT KUBARK NO LONGER INTERESTED IN CONTINUED DETENTION. GEORGE
REPLIED THEY WOULD CONTINUE DETAIN HIM ANYWAY. THIS LAST HQS INFO RE
GUTIERREZ UNTIL WAVE REPORTED HIS RELEASE.

END OF MESSAGE

*WH COMMENT: Reported release of Elroy GUTIERREZ Menoya inciting strong
reaction among Cubans in Miami and much criticism of AMBUD-1
as being responsible for getting him released. Said WAVE
unaware AMBUD-1 sponsored or responsible for release and
requested Hqs provide any details.

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[Signature]
H. K. DAVIS, C/WH/4
RELEASING OFFICER

WH/4/PA Andrew
COORDINATING OFFICERS
SECRET

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D. A. PHILLIPS, C/WH/4/PA
AUTHENTICATING OFFICER

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